

## **VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Kathleen Balhoni, Treasurer Friends of Cliff Stearns PO Box 308 Silver Springs, FL 34489 MAY 2 7 2010

**RE:** MUR 6255

Dear Ms. Balboni:

On March 2, 2010 the Federal Election Commission notified Friends of Cliff Stearns ("Committee") and you, as treasurer, of a complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. On May 6, 2010, the Commission found, on the basis of the information in the complaint, and information provided by the Committee and you, as treasurer, that there is no reason to believe the Committee violated the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fcd. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). A copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your information.

If you have any questions, please contact Kim Collins, the paralegal assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely.

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BY: Jeff \$. Jordan

Supervisory Attorney

Complaints Examination and Legal Administration

Enclosure

General Counsel's Report